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## EDITORIAL.

The splendid showing made by the Colored Ex-service men armistice day was a real source of pride and pleasure to the Colored people of this city. Much credit is due Lieut. Homer Roberts and the War Camp Community Club for this excellent demonstration. Next year, may every one of the boys who wore the uniform be prepared to be in line headed by the best Negro band in America.

## BUSINESS TRAINING FOR NEGROES.

Without a sufficient number of well-trained Negro men and women it is impossible for the business enterprises now owned and operated by progressively efficient Negroes, to meet keen competition and at the same time to make substantial advancement. It is easier to get capital than it is to get efficient employees. Wherever a Negro is doing a good standard business, we should patronize him. We should not, however, patronize an enterprise merely because it is owned and operated by a Negro, but the high standard of the business should invite and warrant our patronage.

When we patronize Negro business enterprises we not only supply ourselves with the necessities, the immediate wants in life; but we help to encourage and build up enterprises that are providing lucrative employment of high grade for an immense army of Negro men and women for whom it would be impossible to secure a similar grade of employment elsewhere. Such patronage increases faith in and respect for ourselves, and causes us to believe in the work we are doing.—Southern Workman.

## LOVE'S THEATRE SCORES.

The showing of the thrilling and impressive drama "Broken Blossoms" at Love's Theatre during the past week broke all records, both in point of attendance and receipts, at any theatre showing exclusively to Colored people in this city. Although four performances were given Armistice day and night, fully three hundred people were turned away at 11:00 o'clock P. M. unable to gain admittance. Mr. Love is one of the few Colored men who know the value of advertising, and on illuminated Bill Boards, by hand bills, posters and through the columns of the two Negro newspapers he keeps constantly before his people what is transpiring at his beautiful playhouse. If more Negro business men would study the methods and apply the same vision and energy to their business as does Mr. Love, we'd soon be a formidable figure in the business and financial world. The Sun congratulates Mr. Love upon the high class photo-plays that are being exhibited at his popular house and no longer do the cultured and self-respecting Negroes climb the stairs and crowd the balconies of those houses down town that do not want them and in patronizing them they sacrifice much of their self respect because Mr. Love supplies the needs and the demands of the best element of our race.

## THE BIBLE.

By Mrs. Geo. Robinson.  
 Detroit, Mich.

The Bible is the word of God, consisting of 66 books or subdivisions comprising the Old and New Testament, contains: 1,189 chapters, 31,173 verses, 773,692 words and 3,586,489 letters. It is the word of God because it expresses God's thought toward man. In the days of Moses, people were led by prophets, but Moses being rebuked by the children of Israel, God saw fit to make a law in the land by which man was to abide, so He called Moses to the top of Mt. Sinai and gave him ten commandments, and when he had made an end to communing with him, he gave him two Testaments (tables of stone) written with the finger of God. The name "Bible" was derived from the name "Biblia" which was given to the inner bark of the Papyrus which was the writing paper of the Egyptians, Greeks and Romans, made from a plant growing in Egypt. So from that roll, we get our name "Bible." So it is the word of God. The Bible contains the mind of God, the state of man and the way of salvation. It contains the doom of sinners and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding; its histories are true, and its declarations are immutable. You must read it to be wise, you must believe it to be holy, it contains light to direct you, food to support you and comfort to cheer you, it is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sword and the Christian's character; in it paradise is restored, heaven opened and the Gates of Hell disclosed. Christ is its grand subject. Our God is its design and the glory of God its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart and guide the feet. We should read it slowly, frequently and prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. The Bible is given us in life; it will be opened at the judgment and be remembered for ever. It involves the highest responsibility, rewards the greatest labor and condemns all who trifle with its holy contents.

Rev. Geo. W. Dudley, pastor of the Mt. Zion Baptist church, Rockford, Ill., was in the city for a few days.

## Betty & Sam's Little Corner



## THEY SAY

—That truth and right will win over all opposition. Amen.

—That it's awful to think what will happen if the weather drops down to zero and no coal.

—That if the United States Courts and organized labor both stand pat, something's going to pop. Believe me.

—That the reason a woman has a cleaner mind than a man is that she changes it so often. Don't shove ideas, don't shove.

—That one of our newswires was heard to tell another: "If a dog should see you, he'd eat your head off." "Why" asked the other. "Because it's just one big bone."

—That Betty and Sam received the following from a "loving friend" which may contain more truth than poetry nevertheless: For brain food, eat fish. It is said to never fail; I therefore wish, That you would eat a whale.

—That November came in as neat as a pen. She may go out the same, we can't tell.

But the chances are if she runs to form. She'll go out a raising old H—I.

—That the following is dedicated to the knockers:

Put away your little hammer, Heave it over on the junk, Get in line and join the booters, Knocking now is on the punk, Be a live one, a self starter, Don't stand there sad and forlorn, Join the chorus, call the junkman, "Sell your hammer and buy a horn."

—Call West 350 or West 4422.

## Just a Word Ladies and Gents!

Where are you going with those old clothes on your arm?

I am on my way to

F. C. CLEVELAND'S  
 TAILOR SHOP  
 2212 East 18th Street  
 Kansas City, Mo.

## 8 PASSENGER LIMOUSINE

Largest in the City  
**ALSO TAXI SERVICE**  
 By DAVID ALLEN  
 —With—  
**PASEO AUTO LIVERY CO.**  
 Bell East 2600 and East 4154  
 Motto: Clean Cars and Careful Driving.

## Do you need money?

We have plenty of money to loan to rooming house keepers on short time. Must have reference.

**PROPERTY OWNERS**  
 can obtain a loan through our agency and pay it back by weekly installments.

**IF YOUR HOUSE NEEDS**  
 repairing, painting or papering, get a loan and put in its necessary repairs.

Our Business is Strictly Confidential.  
 Bell Phone, Grand 4204.  
 Home, Delaware 850.

**KELLEY'S**  
**BEST**  
**HIGH PATENT**

## Classified Wants and Rooms to Rent

**FOR RENT**—2026 Woodland Avenue—5 rooms, electricity and water. 1st floor. Apply to Mrs. Richardson, 1831 Paseo.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished house to first class people. Rosa Buford, 921 Garfield Ave. Bell phone East 3901J

**WANTED, DECEMBER 1st**—experienced stenographer; permanent position; best wages. Apply Dr. G. W. Hedgepeth, World Wonder Oil & Gas Co., 1518 E. 18th St.

**WANTED AT ONCE.**  
 Respectable man and wife to keep house for a man and two children. No objection to parties having small child. Address the Kansas City Sun Office, 1805 E. 18th St.

**For Sale**—1412 Tracy Ave.—A 10-room brick, strictly modern, slate roof, price \$1,500; \$500 down, balance to suit. Call Kinsler Bell Grand 4204. Home Delaware 950.

**FOR RENT**—Neatly furnished rooms at the Laclede Hotel, 2306 Vine Street. Mrs. Marie B. Wheeler. Bell phone East 5852.

**FOR RENT**—Newly furnished rooms at the Kinsler Apartments. Bell East 5330W.

Why pay rent when you can buy a lot and have a house built to suit yourself at a very low figure? East Williams & Jackson. Either phone East 1415.

**NOTICE.**  
 I desire to meet all my Poroc customers at 1008 Tracy Ave. Mrs. Lucy Benford, 1008 Tracy Ave. Bell phone Main 1748J.

**ATTENTION.**  
 Bob Bosley has secured the agency of the well known World's Fair Knitting Mills Hosiery and Underwear and will be glad to show samples at your home for your thorough inspection. Bell phone East 1675. Home East 5172. 2006 E. 14th Street.



**MRS. A. MOORE,**  
 Teacher of  
**PIANO AND VOICE.**  
 2735 Highland.  
 Bell Phone, Wabash 347.

**DAVIS TAXI CO.**  
 for hire  
 Bell Phone East 2230  
 Day or Night.  
 Express, Baggage and Livery  
 Service. Careful drivers.  
 1506 Michigan.

## Home Buyers, Don't Buy Until You Read This!

1902 Jackson—4 room frame cottage with sewer, gas and water, 36 ft. width. Price \$1,100.00; \$100 down and \$10.00 per month and interest.

816 E. 17th St.—5-room brick; strictly modern except heat. Price \$2,350. \$500 down, balance easy payments.

1667 East 2nd St.—Two apartments, frames, with electric lights and water in lot fifty feet wide. Price \$1,800. \$200 down, balance \$19.00 per month and interest.

Tracy, 2218—Four-room frame cottage. Price \$1,400. \$100 down, balance \$12.00 per month and interest.

Flora, 2220—Four-room frame cottage, strictly modern except heat, price \$2,250. \$100 down, balance \$18.00 per month and interest.

See Kinsler, Office 518 East 21st St. Bell Ph. Gr. 4204. Home Del 850.

## HERB MEDICINES

from roots, herbs, barks and flowers, for every disease; secrets in "Herb Doctor" receipt book. Only 10cts. worth \$5.

**YACKI REMEDY CO.**  
 6726 So. State St., Chicago, Ill.

## Negro Business and Professional Directory of Greater Kansas City

### ATTORNEYS.

**FORREST B. ANDERSON, Lawyer,**  
 529 State Avenue, Kansas City, Kas.  
 Bell Phone West 1050.

### BAKERIES.

**HOMER BAKERY.** Mrs. A. Compton,  
 Prop. 1801 East 18th Street.

### BARBECUE AND LUNCH.

**BARTEE & VERTER,** 1706 East 12th street. Open day and night. Bell phone, E. 3679W; Home phone, E. 4133.

### BEAUTY PARLORS AND HAIR DRESSERS.

**MRS. DELLA BALLEW,** Hair Dresser, 618 Garfield Avenue, facial and body massage, singeing and manicuring. Bell phone West 3161-W.

**MRS. CORA D. WILLIAMS,** Hair Dresser, body and facial massage. Manicuring. 1317 E. 23d St. Bell Phone Grand 2319.

**MRS. FANNIE HERNDON NAPIER,** Hair Dresser, 820 South Fourth St., Armourdale, Kans.

**MRS. ELLA DOWLING,** Hair Dresser, 354 Garfield Ave. Bell Phone West 1794.

**MRS. ANNA MCGEE,** Hair Dresser, 924 E. 21st St. Bell Phone Grand 3430.

**MME. M. B. JACKSON'S** wonderful Hair Preparations. Agents wanted. 2100 E. 9th street. Bell Phone East 1269-M.

### PHOTOGRAPHERS.

**MURDOCK'S STUDIO,** 2110 Vine, W. E. Murdock, Prop.; Bell Phone East 1849.

**J. E. MILLER STUDIO,** 1622 East Eighteenth street. Bell phone E. 91.

### CLEANERS.

**DeLUXE, Cleaners and Dyers,** 1707 Troost. P. A. McWilliams, Prop. Bell, Grand 744; Home, Main 8256.

### CAFES.

**BOND CAFE,** 815 Independence Ave. Mrs. Amanda Bond, Prop. Home Cooking.

### COAL COMPANIES.

**PAYNE COAL CO.,** 1902 1/2 Vine St. Bell Phone East 559; Home East 4132.

## BEAUTIFUL LOTS FOR SALE S. A. Y. ADDITION

**36 & HARDESTY**  
 Buy A Lot in the Most Beautiful Section of the City at a VERY LOW PRICE.  
 WILL BUILD TO SUIT TENANT.  
 Call Williams & Jackson. 1704 E. 12 Street.  
 BOTH PHONES EAST 1415.

## Ross's Big Bargain List For Home Buyers. All in Carefully Selected Districts.

### One Price—the Owners Price

Buying a home is an ambition so easily realized now-a-days that the place which shelters every man should be his own. The thoughtful Negro is not satisfied with being able to rent modern houses, but to own them outright by purchase. The fact is, the records show a larger number of purchases among Negroes this year than any year in the history of Kansas City. If you (dear reader) have never owned a home this is YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

**MAKE YOUR SELECTION AND CALL.** Price and terms will be made to suit you.

25th and Michigan—5-room frame, modern except heat, in good repair. Price \$3,000. Terms.

1800 hundred block on 10th St.—4-room modern, newly decorated, south front. Price \$2,350. Terms \$200 down.

23rd and Highland—5-room frame, modern, good repair. Price \$3,000. \$200 down.

On East 9th St.—9-room frame, modern, cement basement, fine shape. Price \$3,000. Terms \$200.

12th and Lydia—10-room strictly modern residence, slate roof. Price \$4,500. \$250 down.

16th and Harrison—5-room cottage in good repair, very cheap.

13th and Euclid—4-room cottage. At condition, facing Observation Park. Inspect this house before buying a cottage elsewhere. Price \$2,000. Terms \$500. Direct from owner.

14th and Campbell—7-room frame, modern except heat. Price \$3,350. \$200 down.

12th and Vine St.—Direct from owner: 4-room cottage, good repair. Price \$2,250. \$200 down.

2004 Montgall—6 rooms, good repair, worth the money. Price \$2,250. \$150 down.

On 17th Street, West of Troost—7-room frame, modern. Price \$2,500. Good terms.

Near 19th and Campbell—11 rooms strictly modern, solid brick, full basement, large lot. Price \$5,000. Terms \$1,000 down. Paved alley.

**DUPLEXES.**

1814-16 East 14th—Strictly modern, separate furnaces, hardwood finish; income \$70 per month. Price \$4,000. Terms \$500; balance \$60, including interest at 6 per cent. Vitrified brick, full basement.

On Woodland Ave., 1200 Block—10 rooms, modern to a Queen's taste. Price \$6,000; terms \$500 down.

On Tracy, 2300 Block—4-apartment flat, corner lot, strictly modern, fine location. Price \$4,750. Terms \$750 down, balance easy.

10-room, modern in every sense of the word at 22nd and Montgall; 50x140. Price \$5,000. If you want a high class residential property see this.

7 rooms, partly modern, 18th and Kensington—Electric lights and other modern conveniences worth while. Price \$1,500; cash \$150.

7 rooms strictly modern—10th and Garfield—Price \$2,500. \$200 cash.

5-room frame—17th and Michigan. Price \$1,450. \$100 cash.

7-room frame—2602 Euclid Ave. Price \$1,750. \$100 cash.

11-room duplex, strictly modern—22nd and Flora. Price \$3,500. Terms \$500 cash.

9 rooms, strictly modern—23rd and Olive. Price \$4,000; terms \$200 cash.

13-room frame, partly modern, large yard 50x30, fine location, very reasonable. \$3,500; \$500 down.

We have bargains in vacant at 12th and Euclid, 14th and Garfield, 23rd and Euclid, 14th and Woodland and in Westport; in fact, any part of the city you may desire. Appreciating any business you may send my way and assuring you of honest service, I am

Yours for more business,  
**ROSS REALTY COMPANY**  
 1603 East 12th Street  
 Bell Phone East 1675 Home Phone East 5172

## Greatest Photo Offer

Enlarge and tint any picture 16x20—1 copy \$2.50, 3 or more, \$2.00, larger sizes on application. Premium—a box of toilet soap and a large turkish towel free. Tally-score-post cards and calendars. Photo pillow top—all Colored subjects. Send for price list. Agents wanted.

## DICKERSON ART CO.

CHEROKEE, KANSAS.



## FORTUNE J. WEAVER KANSAS CITY'S PIONEER REAL ESTATE DEALER IS BACK ON THE JOB.

This is to inform you that I am back on the job in my new location, 1626 East 18th Street, just across the street from the Gem Theatre, where I will be glad to have my old clients, as well as new ones, to call and see me, especially if they are in trouble. It has been my rule for the past 17 years in the real estate business in Kansas City to give full protection to my customers. I am glad to say that out of the hundreds of homes sold by me or the Afro-American Investment Company, of which I was President and Manager, not a single one of them have been allowed to lose their homes when they came to me with their troubles. I am now in a position to not only help my old customers, but any industrious Negro man or woman who is trying to pay for a home or who wants to buy one.

If you are having trouble such as wanting your mortgage renewed, want a new loan, or if you are back on payments and taxes, if you want to remodel, if you want to exchange your old house for a new one, if you want to sell your equity, if you want to buy and have not enough money to make your first payment, if you are having trouble with your title, or anything else regarding Real Estate Deals, see me. My long experience in handling Real Estate deals gives me a thorough knowledge along these lines and my advice to you is free for the asking.

### IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOME

Look over this list, then come to see me or call me up and make an appointment to go out and look at them. I have many others too numerous to mention here.

921 Michigan Avenue—8-room modern frame, \$2,300. \$200 down, balance easy.

4th and Nebraska Avenue, K. C. K.—8-room modern frame, \$2,500. \$500 down.

1619 East 22nd Street—4-room cottage, \$1,000. \$50 down and \$15 per month.

SPECIAL—1227 Paseo—Swell duplex, strictly modern, polished floors, steam heat; an ideal place for a home. Will sell right to desirable buyers.

1715 Woodland Avenue—5-room cottage, \$1,800. \$100 down, \$20 per month.

2005 Flora Avenue—5-room cottage, \$1,500. \$100 down, \$15 per month.

1312 Lydia Avenue—4-room cottage, \$2,250.

16th and Paseo—Swell 7-room modern home, \$3,500. \$500 down, balance like rent.

3414 East 21st Street—5-room strictly modern brick, \$2,750. \$300 down, \$25 per month.

1412 Garfield Avenue—7-room modern brick, \$4,000. Easy terms.

1616 Forest Avenue—8-room modern, \$4,000.

27th and Euclid Avenue—7-room strictly modern brick and stone, facing Spring Valley Park, \$4,000. \$500 down, balance \$30 per month.

### FORTUNE J. WEAVER, THE LOCATER

Kansas City's Pioneer Negro Real Estate Dealer.

1626 East 18th Street, Opposite Gem Theatre.

Bell, East 3485

Home, East 5866

## Great Thanks Given

There is no gift that your family would be more thankful for than for one of the following homes. Pay for it with rent money.

2124 Vine Street—6-room frame, business lot.....\$3,000

2107 Highland—4-room cottage, a snap, only.....900

2316-2322 Woodland Ave.—Four lots, two houses in each lot; four room frame and three room brick in rear; make nice home and income; price.....\$3,500

2453 Vine—6-room frame, fine business lot, only.....2,300

2319 Highland—10-room frame, fine for rooming house.....2,800

2019 Olive—Duplex—5-room each floor, modern, a bargain at.....3,700

1414 Charlotte—8-room modern brick, close in.....3,800

1901 East 19th St.—7-room modern brick, on car line.....3,500

1064 Locust—4-room cottage, lot 50x150.....800

1063 E. 17th St.—6-room frame, modern, brick garage.....2,500

2019 Olive—Duplex—5-room each floor, modern, a bargain at.....2,500

1414 Cyphas—6-room frame, bargain.....1,100

1212 Forest—9-room modern brick.....3,000

1611 Harrison—7-room modern frame.....3,000

1000 E. 17th St.—8-room modern frame, a bargain, corner lot.....4,000

566-672 Troost—Five 10-room fine homes, one store room, 3 living rooms in rear and concrete foundation for six apt. flat; price, going at.....8,500

2218 Forest—7-room frame modern.....3,000

19th and Walroad—4-room cottage, one acre of land.....2,000

We have many other splendid bargains not in this list. No matter what you want in real property to rent or buy, see me. Our terms are best and through our Employment Department we guarantee to keep our clients regularly employed on the best jobs and at the best salaries.

## Service Realty and Employment Bureau

2122 Vine Street